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"SANTA CLAUS STEAMER" SAILED FOR EUROPE.

THE HOLD OF THE ST. LOUIS CRAMMED AND JAMMED WITH CHRISTMAS PRESENTS FOR LOVING FRIENDS ACROSS THE WATER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17-The American liner, St. Louis, which left her dock at ten o'clock this morning bound for Europe, is entitled to be called a veritable Santa Claus ship. Her great hold was literally crammed and jammed full of Christmas mail and hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of presents and moneyorders. She is the last steamship Harrison. to leave this side by which mails can reach Great Britain and the Continent before Christmas Day. The St. Louis is due at Plymouth, Cherbourg and Scuthampton the day before Christmas.

was with a sigh of relief that the hundreds of employes of the New York post office, and particularly the foreign mails branch, greeted the departure of the St .Louis, knowing that a big share of their heavy burden of Christmas work was over.

No one thing reflects the condition of presperity in the United States better than the volume of Christmas mails for Europe. The authorities have learned to look upon it as an accurate barometer. following the panic of 1897 there was a startling drop in the number of money orders issued on Europe for the Christmas season . That the country is again! enjoying its full measure of prosperity is evidenced by the fact that the outward-bound Christmas mails were nev er heavier than they have been during the past few weeks.

The bulk of the money orders and Christmas presents sent abroad go to Germany, England, Sweden, Russia and Italy . For many years Ireland held first place on the list, but now the Emerald Isle has fallen behind several of the continental countries. Two things are held responsible for the falling off of the amount of the money sent to Ireland at Christmas time. One of these is that the number of immigrants from Ireland has steadily decreased during the pas decade or so, and the other reason is to be found in the greater prosperity which Ireland herself enojys .

The number of foreign born Americans who have returned to Europe during the past three or four weeks to spend Christmas in their old homes has been unusually large. It is estimated that no fewer than 10,000 Swedish-Americans from the Middle States and the Northwest have left New York for Sweden since the first of November

KINGSTON

KINGSTON, Dec. 17-M. Schumann and wife have taken possession of their new home on Mulberry Street, known as the Greene property, recent ly purchased of H. T. McClellan.

Dr. H. Jordan and family have taken the Bohannon house on east Mai street for the winter, and have moved into it from the cottage they previously occupied on Mulberry street,

Among the late arrival at the Ferndale are A. F. Hall, Warren, Pa., and Miss Rhodes, of Sanford, Fla..

W. P. Knapp, representing J. A. Erickson & Co., of DeLand, as agent, is at the Ferndale again. He drove choice to succeed himelf, those who over Monday, of this week, bringing are anxious for an end to the preswith him R. Bushnell, piano tuner for ent revolution are urging the Nicarthe same firm, of which his father is aguan congress not to appoint him a member. They expect to be in president. The Estrada forces are town several days.

C. S. Lewis has moved from the to continue the revolution if Madriz Edson cottage into J. W. Fulghams' is appointed. Mexico favors Madriz. cottage on West Main street .

Mrs. J. M. Davis expected to go to Bartow to attend her sister, Mrs. ESTRADA WILL NOT Manuel, who was quite ill, but we are glad to note that that lady is reported better and Mrs. Davis will not now make the trip.

cards at the Daily News office. tf on Zelaya's succesor.

LITIGATION OF 23 YEARS

ABOUT TO BE CONCLUDED

CONNECTED WITH THE CASE ARISING OVER CONTESTED WILL OF MERCHANT PRINCE.

NEW YORK, Dec. 17-A sale in partition to take place in White Plains tomorrow morning revives memories of the old litigation over the will of the late Alexander T. Stewart, the first of America's 'Merchant Princes." Mr. Stewart died in 1876 owning the property which is to be sold and which consists of about one hundred and fifty acres of land situated in the towns of Rye and Club owners and managers of the Tex-

M. Stewart. Mrs. Stewart died in taining to last season were disposed 1889, leaving a will appointing Judge of, and plans for the coming season Henry Hilton executor and trustee were informally discussed. That there and giving practically absolute power will be some changes in the circuit to him to dispose of her enormous next year seems certain, but just what estate as he should see fit. niece of Mrs. Stewart contested the definitely determined . President Alwill on the ground of undue influence len announced that a complete new exerted over Mrs. Stewart by Judge staff of umpires has been signed for Hilton. The contest began on the da | next year . of the great blizzard of 1888, and Roscoe Conkling, who was counsel in the case for Judge Hilton, lost his CANADIAN PARLIAMENT life as a result of his going to court on that day and attempting to walk home through the snow. Elihu Root was associated with Mr. Conkling in the case, while the contestant was

ed by Joseph H. Choate.

was part of the real estate included in this action. The will contest was afterward settled between the heirs and Judge Hilton, but the partition action was continued as a friendly one ever since the settlement. The final steps in it are now about to be taken, one of which is the sale of the property in question. The sale derives additional interest on account of the Revolutionary period memories connected with the ground. A part of the site belonged to Major General Thomas Thomas, a very distinguished Revolutionary partisan and the remains of his mansion are still to be seen. The estate overlooks the scene of the historic battle of White Plains, while not far away is also the house in which General Putnam was surprised by the British while shaving. and escaped by riding his horse down a stone stairway.

UNITED STATES WILL HAVE ZELAYA DETAINED.

ZELAYA'S RESIGNATION DOES NOT CHANGE THE ATTITUDE OF THE UNITED STATES.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 17-There is little change in the State department's attitude toward the Nicaraguan situation today, despite Zelaya's resignation. The United States will insist that he be detained in Nicaraqua until a final settlement has been made. The government will not demand a trial for the murder of Grace and Cannon until the Nicaraguan courts are properly contituted.

SENTIMENT DIVIDED AS TO ZELAYA'S SUCCESSOR.

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, Dec. 17-While there is a strong movement favoring Jose Madriz, Zelaya's known to be hostile, and are expected

FIGHT AT BLUEFIELDS.

BLUEFIELDS, Nicaragua, Dec. 17-According to a semi-official statement today, Estrada has agreed with the government generals at Rama not *"For Rent," 'Furnished Rooms," to fight in Bluefields, and he is ex-"For Hire" and "Table Board" pla- pected to hold off until Congres acts

OFFICIALS ON LOOKOUT FOR BLACK HANDERS.

FROM SWITZERLAND AND ITALY THEY ARE MAKING THEIR WAY TO THE UNITED STATES.

ROME, Dec. 17-Italian officials at the various ports have been warned to keep a close watch on outgoing steamers during the next few weeks, owing to the expected exodus to America of a large number of Black Hand members who have been driven from Switzerland.

It has been reported that the assassins hope to find a new field of operations in America. It developed also that no fewer than sixty of thee characters, many of whom have before been expelled from Switzerland, are making their way by circuitous routes EMINENT LAWYERS HAVE BEEN to the United States. These men were formerly a part of the gang of 2,000 Italians employed in the construction of the Loetzchberg tunnel through the Berner Alps. This scene cf industry became a hotbed of the Black Handers, forty of whom are now in custody there awaiting trial on charges of blackmail, assault and mur

NEW UMPIRES SIGNED FOR TEXAS BALL LEAGUE

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Dec. 17 as Baseball League rounded up in thi By his will Mr. Stewart left all of city today for their mid-winter meethis property to his widow, Cornelia ing. Various matters of business per-A these changes will be has not been

ADJOURNS FOR HOLIDAYS.

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 17-The Dominion Parliament adjourned today represented by eminent counsel headfor the customary Christmas recess. January 10th has been fixed as the The property to be sold tomorrow date for reassembling

HELPFUL WORDS

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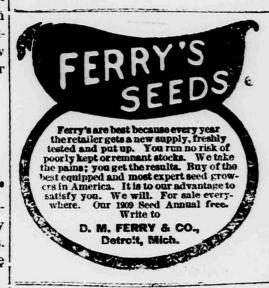
SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec .17- Four hundred little girls will pose as a human flag at the Alhambra this evening, as a part of the entertainment arranged by the United Commercial Travelers.

*FURNISHED HOUSE on Halifax avenue, near Automobile Club House. for rent . Apply to Daily News. dtf

LOW TIDES on the BEACH

Day of Month	NOV.	DEC.	JAN.
1	3:21	4:30	5:07
2	4:10	5.20	5:57
3	5.03	6:15	6:47
4	6:03	7:06	7.40
5	7:03	8:00	8:33
6	8:15	8:51	9:28
7	9:16	9:39	10:19
8	10:10	10:24	11:08
9	11:00	11:06	11:55
10	11:40	11:45	12:40
11	12:20	12:26	1:25
12	.12:55	1:06	2:08
13	. 1:31	1:47	2:52
14	2:07	2:30	3:37
. 15	2:46	3:14	4.22
16	0.00	4:00	5:13
17		4:50	6:03
18		5:46	7:00
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21	8:05	8:38	10.03
22	9:05	9:35	11.01
23	10:04	10:30	12:00
24	11:00	11:24	12:47
25	11:37	. 12:14	1.28
26	12:29	. 1:04	2.16
27	1 10	1:51	2:56
28	0.00	2:36	3:35
20	0 -0	3:21	4:22
30	. 2.00	4:05	4:50
31		4:48	5:30

Forenoon and afternoon tides are approximately at the same hour. Automobiles can be driven on the beach two hours after high tide and within two hours of high tide,





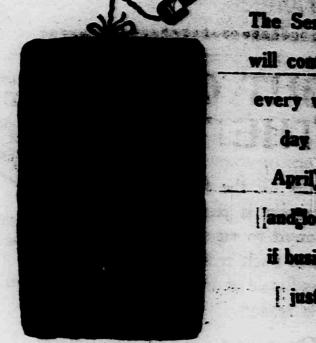
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Time's Nearly Up Girls--Bring in Your Puzzles December 24th.

Make a special effort, giris and if you haven't quite finished, do so at once—and bring it to our store together with your "Five-Reasons-Why" slip Friday afternoon, December 24th, before 4:00 o'clock.

Just as soon as the judges can look them over and pick out the neatest puzzle and best "Five-Reasons-Why," we'll award the prize and announce it in the Daily News

Don't forget, girls, contest closes Friday afternoon, December 24th, at 4:00 c'clock—no puzzle accepted after that time.

Who's the winner? That will be answered after the contest closes. Do your best to make the little stove yours.



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